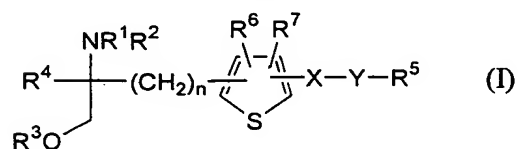


Abstract of the Disclosure

Compounds of formula (I) which exhibit excellent immune suppression activity, pharmacologically acceptable salts thereof, esters thereof or other derivatives:



wherein R^1 and R^2 are a hydrogen atom, an amino protecting group; R^3 is a hydrogen atom, a hydroxy protecting group; R^4 is a lower alkyl group; n is an integer from 1 to 6; X is an ethylene group; Y is a C_1 - C_{10} alkylene group, a C_1 - C_{10} alkylene group substituted with 1 to 3 substituents selected from substituent group a and b; R^5 is an aryl group; R^6 and R^7 are a hydrogen atom, a group selected from substituent group a; with the proviso when R^5 is a hydrogen atom, Y is not a single bond or a straight chain C_1 - C_{10} alkylene group.